

## Message Text

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TAGS: SOPN, XA, CD, US  
SUBJECT: REACTION TO SECRETARY'S SPEECH.

REF: STATE 156471

1. FRENCH TRANSLATION SECRETARY'S SPEECH SENT DIRECTLY TO FOREIGN MINISTRY AND OTHER SENIOR MEMBERS OF GOVERNMENT AS WELL AS TO RADIO AND DAILY NEWSHEET INFOTCHAD. PAO DISCUSSED SPEECH AT LENGTH WITH INFOTCHAD DIRECTOR BASHIR AND PRESENTED HIM WITH TEXT. TO DATE, HOWEVER, NEITHER RADIO NOR INFOTCHAD HAVE REPORTED ON SPEECH. ALTHOUGH CHADIAN RADIO AND PRESS HAVE BEEN CONCENTRATING ON REPORTING OFFICIAL CHADIAN REACTION AT LIBREVILLE SUMMIT TO LIBYAN SUPPLIED REBEL ATTACKS ON NORTHERN GOVERNMENT OUTPOSTS, IT MAY ALSO BE THAT PRESS AND RADIO AWAITING RETURN POLICY MAKERS FROM LIBREVILLE TO DETERMINE HOW TO HANDLE SPEECH LOCALLY. SPEECH BEING REPRODUCED FOR INCLUSION AMERICAN CULTURAL CENTER WEEKLY BULLETIN, VIS-A-VIS, WHICH HAS LARGEST CIRCULATION AMONG CHADIAN LEADERS OF ANY LOCALLY ISSUED PUBLICATION.

2. SEVERAL CHADIANS AT JULY 4 RECEPTION, INCLUDING INFOTCHAD DIRECTOR BASHIR, FAMILIAR WITH MAJOR POINTS OF SPEECH. ALMOST ALL COMMENTED SPECIFICALLY ON  
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PORTION REGARDING AMERICAN'S FRIENDS IN AFRICA:

"...THEY CAN RELY ON OUR SUPPORT. WHEN THE TERRITORIAL INTEGRITY OF A FRIENDLY STATE IS THREATENED, WE WILL CONTINUE TO RESPOND TO REQUESTS FOR APPROPRIATE ASSISTANCE."

3. COMMENT: WITH THE BESIEGED GOVERNMENT  
NORTHERN OUTPOSTS IN MIND, AND THE WELL-DOCUMENTED  
LIBYAN OCCUPATION OF PARTS OF NORTHERN CHAD IN  
AOZOU AREA, IT IS NOT SURPRISING THAT LOCAL REACTION  
SHOULD CONCENTRATE ON THE ABOVE PORTION OF SECRETARY'S  
SPEECH. BRADFORD

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